

BOLES FIRE

Incident Update

Thursday, September 18, 2014 6:00 P.M. www.fire.ca.gov



Fire Information Line: (530) 408-6167

Location: City of Weed County: Siskiyou

Acres: 479 % Containment: 85%

Start Date & Time: Monday, September 15th 2014 1:38 P.M.

Cause: Under investigation Structures destroyed / damaged: 150

Injuries: 1 Structures Threatened: 1,100

RESOURCES ASSIGNED:

Engines: 96 Water Tenders: 4 Bulldozers: 5

Crews: 30 Helicopters: 1 Total Personnel: 1,073

Current Situation: Firefighters are continuing mop up and overhaul work within the fire perimeter. There was a flare-up on the fireline today, despite the small amount of rain received. Crews continue to work on overhauling the large mulch pile and log deck at the Roseburg Mill. Damage Assessment Teams continue to survey the impacted areas of the fire. Excess resources are being released and made available for other incidents as necessary. Utility crews are continuing to assess and repair damaged equipment and infrastructure. The fire area received light rainfall overnight. The acreage increased due to better mapping.

If you feel you have information regarding the Boles Fire, please contact 1-800-468-4408. A reward may be offered up to \$10,000 leading to the cause of the fire.

Evacuation orders are still in effect for the following areas:

The Community of Angel Valley and Hoy Road

Because of damaged and destroyed structures, there are still areas outside of Angel Valley and Hoy Road that public access is not allowed.

Evacuation Center is at the Mt. Shasta Armory located at: 518 Everett Memorial Hwy in Mt. Shasta. The Salvation Army is no longer in need of any tangible donations.

For more information on how to prepare for wildfire, visit www.readyforwildfire.org.

Cooperating Agencies: CHP, CAL TRANS, Pacific Power and Light, Weed City PD, Weed City, Yreka PD, Mt. Shasta PD, Siskiyou County Sheriff, Siskiyou County OES, Siskiyou County Health, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, California Conservation Corps, College of the Siskiyous, CAL OES, United Way, Salvation Army and the American Red Cross.